



COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY STATE SENATE

March 24, 2023

The Honorable James Comer
United States House of Representatives
2410 Rayburn House Office Building
Washington, D.C. 20515

RE: Community Project Funding Request – Ephraim McDowell Health – Behavioral Health Relocation and Facilities Improvement Project

Dear Representative Comer:

I am pleased to support the Community Project Funding request submitted by Ephraim McDowell Health to assist in the relocation of the behavioral health unit at the Ephraim McDowell Regional Medical Center in Danville, Kentucky.

The Ephraim McDowell Health system is a major health care provider in Central Kentucky, serving primarily rural communities across six counties. Ephraim McDowell Regional Medical Center, which is the core of the system, acts as a Level III Trauma Center and a critical access point to care for local residents.

Like many providers, Ephraim McDowell Regional Medical Center has been on the front lines of the mental health crisis facing communities across our county. Recently, it has become necessary for Ephraim McDowell to temporarily relocate the hospital's behavioral health unit as part of a comprehensive effort to address aging portions of their facilities that are in dire need of renovation. Federal funding will ensure Ephraim McDowell is able to move forward with these essential facility improvements, while also maintaining essential behavioral health services in their region.

With this in mind, I stand in strong support of the Behavioral Health Relocation and Facilities Improvement Project proposed by Ephraim McDowell Health. We appreciate your consideration of this critical funding request.

Sincerely,

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Amanda Mays Bledsoe
State Senator
District 12

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Representative Daniel Elliott



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March 17, 2023

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RE: Community Project Funding Request – Ephraim McDowell Health – Behavioral Health Relocation and Facilities Improvement Project

Dear Representative Comer,

The Boyle County Fiscal Court is pleased to support the Community Project Funding request submitted by Ephraim McDowell Health to assist in the relocation of the behavioral health unit at the Ephraim McDowell Regional Medical Center in Danville, KY.

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Trille L. Bottom
Boyle County Judge Executive



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James "J.H." Atkins
Mayor

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First Courthouse in Kentucky - 1785
First U.S. Post Office in the West - 1792
First Successful Ovariectomy in the World - 1809

First Capitol of Kentucky District - 1785
First Political Club in the West - 1786
First Constitutional Convention in the West - 1792

First College in the West - 1783
First Law School in the West - 1799
First State Supported School for Deaf - 1823